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DEVICE HAVING A SILICIDED GATE ELECTRODE AND A  
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING AN INTEGRATED CIRCUIT  
THE SAME

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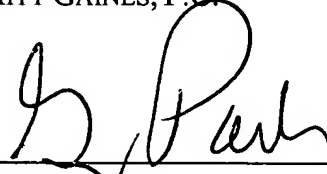
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